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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 80, CORNHILL, GORDON & GOTCH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. C. BATES, HENRY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DRAGON & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 133, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLACK, San Francisco.

CHINA.—SWATOW, QUELCH & CAMPBELL, CO., AMoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & CO., FOSHAN, HEDGE & CO., SHANGHAI, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., and KELLY & WALSH, MANILA, C. HEINRICH & CO., MACAO, L. A. DA GRACA.

Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND, \$500,000 Dollars.

COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—H. HOPFUS, Esq.
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Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
Manager.
Shanghai, EWEN CAMMBON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED
ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily
balance.

On Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " " 5 per cent. " "

Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities,
and every description of Banking and
Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,
Australia, America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East,
Hongkong, March 29, 1876.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
The Undersigned has received instruc-
tions to sell by Public Auction,
(if not previously disposed of by Private
Contract), on

TUESDAY,
the 8th day of May, 1877, at Noon, at
his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—

All that PIECE or PARCEL of
GROUND, Situate in Land Office as
Inland Lot No. 123, and abutting on the
North side on a Public Street, measuring
thereon 31 feet.

On the South and West side on a Public
Street, measuring thereon 125 feet.

On the South and East side on a
Public Street, measuring thereon 200
feet.

On the North and West side on a
close (where a Plan for a Public Street
is laid out) Registered in the Land Office
as Inland Lot No. 124, measuring thereon
150 feet.

For further particulars, apply to the
Undersigned.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on the fall of
the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, April 24, 1877. my8

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received in-
structions from MESSRS. MELCHERS
& CO. to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 19th of May next, at Noon, on the
Premises, under a power contained in a
Bill of Sale dated the 18th day of De-
cember, 1874, given by THOMAS THOM-
TON ANTHONY, and CARL HEINRICH
EBERT SEIMUND, lately carrying on
Business in this Colony, as Shipchandlers
and Storekeepers, under the Style or
Firm of BROADBEAR, ANTHONY & CO.—

All the STOCK-IN-TRADE, FURNI-
TURE, and EFFECTS being in and
upon the Premises No. 62, Praya Central,
lately occupied by the said Firm of
BROADBEAR, ANTHONY & CO.

Also,
THE GOODWILL of the said Business.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT ATKINSON & CO.,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, April 26, 1877. my15

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned has been appointed
AGENT at HONGKONG and its vicin-
ity for "THE BOSTON BOARD OF MARINE
UNDERWRITERS," by Power of Attorney,
dated Boston, U.S., 1st March, 1877.

T. G. LINSTEAD.
Hongkong, April 20, 1877.

NOTICE.

WE have This Day Opened a Branch of
our Firm at SHANGHAI.

Mr. CARL KREBS has been admitted a
Partner from This Date.

MELCHERS & CO.
Hongkong, April 12, 1877. my12

NOTICE.

MR. WILHELM CARL ENGEL-
BRECHT VON PUSTAU, Junior,
and Mr. CONRAD MUNROE DONNER,
have been admitted Partners in our Firm
from the First of January, 1877.

WM. PUSTAU & CO.,
Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai,
Hongkong, April 16, 1877. my16

NOTICE.

WE have This Day Established a Branch
of our Firm at SHANGHAI under the
Management of Mr. ALFRED F. C. KRAUSE,
who will sign for us by Procuration.

CARLOWITZ & CO.
Canton and Hongkong, April 1, 1877.

NOTICE.

I HAVE This Day Established myself as
SHIPPING BROKER at this Port,
under my own name.

W. H. SIEGFRIED.
Hongkong, April 20, 1877. my20

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD BURNIE will Conduct the
BUSINESS of my OFFICE, during my
Temporary Absence from the Colony.

R. H. CAIRNS,
Surveyor to Local Offices,
and Lloyd's Register of Shipping,
2, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 17, 1877. my18

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

ON and after the 16th day of November,
1876, and until further notice, the
BUSINESS of the above-named DISPEN-
SARY will be carried on by the Under-
signed.

WM. CRUCKSHANK,
Manager.
Hongkong, November 21, 1876.

CONSULAT DE FRANCE

A HONGKONG.

MONSIEUR A. SIENKIEWICZ,
Consul de France & Malte, a remis
aujourd'hui à Monsieur G. BOLOUZE,
Chancelier le Service du Consulat de
France à Hongkong et Macao.

Le 16 Avril, 1877. my5

ENTERTAINMENT.

AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB OF

HONGKONG.

THE MEMBERS of the above CLUB
will give a Performance at the
THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL,
ON MONDAY,

May 7th, 1877,

When will be presented a Farce Comedy
in Three Acts, by J. H. BYRON, Esq.,

ENTITLED

"Not such a Fool as he looks."

Tickets may be obtained from Messrs
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., on and after
Monday, April 30th, and at the Doors on
the Night of Performance.

Doors Open at 8.30, Performance to Com-
mence at Nine o'clock.

By kind permission of Colonel DICKINS
and the Officers of H. M. 28th Regt., their
Band will be in attendance.

CHAS. C. COHEN,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, April 25, 1877. my7

Intimations.

W. BALL,
CHINA DISPENSARY.

IMPORTER OF DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, TOILET
REQUISITES, PATENT MED-
ICINES AND PERFUMES.

Prescription Dispensed with Carefulness,
and Prompt Attention.

PRAYA WEST, HONGKONG,
Near the Center Steamer's Wharf.
Hongkong, July 19, 1876.

TANJONG PAGAR DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED, SINGAPORE.

THE BUSINESS of this Company was
Resumed immediately after the FIRE.
Vessels will obtain the usual Despatch and
Coal Supplies.

E. M. SMITH,
Manager.

April 23, 1877. my23

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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Also,

THE GOODWILL of the said Business.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT ATKINSON & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, April 26, 1877. my15

Intimations.

HONGKONG.

Chs. J. GAUPP & Co.,

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELLERS,

38, Queen's Road,

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,

CHRONOMETRES

&c., &c., &c., &c.,

Carefully Repaired, Cleaned and accurately
rated under guarantee.

All Repairs in the above line done at
reasonable rates and with despatch.

Hongkong, May 1, 1876. my1

NOTICE.

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our Firm at SHANGHAI.

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Partner from This Date.

MELCHERS & CO.
Hongkong, April 12, 1877. my12

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Canton and Hongkong, April 1, 1877.

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W. H. SIEGFRIED.
Hongkong, April 20, 1877. my20

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MR. EDWARD BURNIE will Conduct the
BUSINESS of my OFFICE, during my
Temporary Absence from the Colony.

R. H. CAIRNS,
Surveyor to Local Offices,
and Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

2, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 17, 1877. my18

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and Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

2, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 17, 187

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.
The Steamship
Capt. J. E. PUNCHARD, will
be despatched for the above
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd Proximo,
at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, April 30, 1877. my2

FOR LONDON.

(If sufficient inducement offers.)
The 100 A. 1 British Steamer
"BERTHA,"
S. WINDHAM, Commander, will
have quick despatch as above.
The Steamer has Superior Accommodation
for Passengers.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
MEYER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, April 30, 1877.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Argentino, having arrived,
Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk and stored in the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boat delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Yokohama unless notice to the contrary is given before 3 p.m. To-day.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the 6th Proximo will be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, April 30, 1877. my6

HONGKONG HUMANE SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the above SOCIETY will be Held at the CITY HALL, on MONDAY, the 7th May, at 5 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, a Statement of Accounts, and to elect Officers for the ensuing Year.
Members and others taking an interest in the Society are invited to attend.

F. W. BARFF,
Hon. Secretary,
Hongkong, April 30, 1877. my7

NOTICE.

We, the Undersigned, beg to inform the Public of Hongkong and Kowloon that the Charter of our Steam-launch **CUM SING** (plying between Peddar's Wharf and Tsim-sha-ko), by Mr BUZZO, will expire on the 8th instant, after which date the said Launch will ply on the same route on our own account, having no connection whatever with the late Charterer.

The Fare will be as usual until further notice.

WING KEE & Co., Praya Central.
Hongkong, April 30, 1877. my8

FOR SALE.

A SMALL Invoice of C. BONNEVILLE & Co.'s "Prince of Wales" BRANDY, in Cases of One Dozen Bottles, One Dozen Glass Barrels, and Two Dozen Flasks.
Apply to

P. B. CAMA,
7, Hollywood Road.
Hongkong, April 30, 1877. my14

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

MYSTIC BELLE, American ship, Captain David Plumer.—Siemens & Co.

ROSIKA, American 3-m. schooner, Capt. C. W. Hansen.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

ROSETTA McNEIL, American barque, Captain Brown.—Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.

ARGONAUT, British ship, Captain John Anderson.—Meyer & Co.

NYASSA, British ship, Captain W. S. Garrick.—Douglas Lapraik & Co.

CORINNE, British Barque, Captain Wm. Robertson.—Wieler & Co.

TULLOCHGORUM, British 3-m. schooner, Captain Mason.—Wieler & Co.

NELSON, British steamer, Capt. Thomas Staples.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

HANNAH LOUD, British ship, Captain R. Greig.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

April 29, **Thoon Kranon**, Siamese barque, 474, P. W. Vorrath, Bangkok April 7, 1877.—Straten & Co.

April 29, **Charles Mauveut**, French barque, 363, C. Quatrebras, Labuan March 23, General.—Landstein & Co.

April 20, **Argentino**, British steamer, 615, W. Baudouin, London Feb. 26, Penang April 18, and Singapore 22, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

April 30, **Rajahannanhar**, British str., 933, Hopkins, Bangkok April 24, Rice.—**Yuen Fat Hong**.

April 30, **Hoi Ching**, Chinese gunboat, Kwe Tang Sing, Foochow April 26, and Amoy 28.

April 30, **Glamorgashire**, British barque, 456, McEachern, Bangkok April 12, Rice and Tea-wood.—Kin Yee Loong.

April 30, **Ocean**, British steamer, 671, Jacques Boitow April 29, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

April 30, **Plushire**, British steamer, 1240, T. Thomas, Saigon April 26, Rice.—A. MacG. HEATON.

April 30, **Cheung Hock Kian**, British steamer, 955, F. Webb, Penang April 20, and Singapore 22, General.—Boon Cheong & Co.

DEPARTURES.

Apr. 29, **Ducalot**, for Shanghai.

29, **Tartar**, for Hankow.

28, **Namur**, for Coast Ports.

29, **Hibisang**, for Amoy and Shanghai.

28, **Put Tan**, for Canton.

29, **Peng chou-hsi**, for Canton.

30, **Diamond City**, for Bangkok.

30, **Erling Thep**, for Bangkok.

30, **Hakkah**, for Manila.

30, **Ban Lee**, for Bangkok.

30, **Norms**, for Swatow.

30, **Syllene**, for Takao.

CLEARED.

Eudocia Adolphine, for Whampoa.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per Charles Mauveut, from Labuan, 5 Chinese.
Per Argentino, from Straits, 50 Chinese.
Per Rajahannanhar, from Bangkok, 110 Chinese.
Per Ocean, from Hoihow, 42 Chinese.
Per Flinstone, from Saigon, 9 Chinese.
Per Cheung Hock Kian, from Penang and Singapore, 322 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per **Nomao**, for Amoy, Mrs Mitchell, and Mr Malcampo Quioga; for Foochow, Mr Louis.
Per **Tartar**, for Hankow, Mr da Silva.
Per **Education**, for Shanghai, 25 Chinese.
Per **Housang**, for Amoy, 230 Chinese from Singapore; for Shanghai, 5 Chinese.
Per **Diamond City**, for Bangkok, 20 Chinese.
Per **Krung Thep**, for Bangkok, 30 Chinese.

Per **Mystic Belle**, for New York, 1 Euro pean.

Per **Norna**, for Swatow, 34 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer **Argentino** reports: Light winds with fine weather and smooth water up the China Seas.

The British steamer **Rajahannanhar** reports: Fine weather with smooth sea throughout.

The British steamer **Ocean** reports: Moderate S.E. winds and fine weather.

The British steamer **Flinstone** reports: Fine weather throughout with light airs from S.E. to East.

The British steamer **Cheung Hock Kian** reports: Experienced light Easterly winds and fine weather during passage.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS will close:—

For SAIGON.—

Per **BENARTY**, at 11.30 a.m. To-morrow, the 1st May, instead of as previously notified.

For **SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW**.—Per **YESCO**, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 2nd May.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet **GAEVIC** will be despatched on **TUESDAY**, the 1st May, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, and London, which will be closed as follows:—

2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases.

2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes.

2.30 P.M. Correspondence for Japan or the United States only may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 12 cents extra Postage until

2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally closed.

Correspondence must be specially directed for this route, and if not fully prepaid will be sent by British Packet.

Hongkong, April 18, 1877. my1

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.—

The English Contract Packet **LOMBARDY** will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c., on **SATURDAY**, the 5th May.

The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c.:—

Friday, 4th May.—

5 P.M., Money Order Office closes.

6 P.M., Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box, which remains open all night.

Saturday, 5th May.—

7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence.

10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Letters. Registry of Letters ceases.

10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage till

11 A.M., when the Post Office Closes entirely.

11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage, till

11.50 A.M., when the Mail is finally closed.

Hongkong, April 24, 1877. my5

LOADING FOR CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS.

At London.—Steamers via Suez Canal.

Candia. Tavio.

Elgin. Scindia.

Glenduras. Sailing Vessels.

Duke of Abercorn. Corea.

Commissary. Scindia.

Kaisow. Melbrik.

James Shepherd. At Liverpool.

Ajax (str.) Priam (str.)

C. W. Cochran. Henry S. Sanford.

At Glasgow.

Ile of Erin.

General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, May 2:—

NOON.—Yeo leaves for Coast Ports.

FRIDAY, May 4:—

NOON.—General Weekly Sale by Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co.

SATURDAY, May 5:—

Noon.—English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

SUNDAY, May 6:—

Goods per **Argentino** undelivered after this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, May 7:—

5 P.M.—Meeting of the Hongkong Humanitarian Society at City Hall.

9 P.M.—Amateur Dramatic Club Performance at the City Hall.

TUESDAY, May 8:—

NOON.—Sale of Ground, at Sow-kei-wan.

WEDNESDAY, May 15:—

3 P.M.—Admission Mail leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

SATURDAY, May 18:—

Noon.—Sale of Stock-in-trade of the firm of Broadbear, Anthony & Co.

11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) except those to and through Australia, may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage, until

11.30 A.M., when the Post Office Closes entirely.

Hongkong, April 28, 1877. my12

Shipping Intelligence.

HOME SHIPPING.

The following is corrected from the latest London Papers:—

DEPARTURES.

Nov. 21, America, from Cardiff to Hongkong.

Nov. 23, Western Chief, from London to Hongkong.

Nov. 25, Madura, from Cardiff to Hongkong.

Dec. 4, Banlutha, from Cardiff to Hongkong.

Dec. 17, A. E. Vidal, from Hamburg to Hongkong.

Dec. 17, Carricks from London to Hongkong.

Dec. 19, Channel Queen, from Cardiff to Hongkong.

Dec. 20, Chinaman, from London to Hongkong.

SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 30TH APRIL, 1877.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *b*, near the Kowloon shore *k*, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked *c*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works, 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works, 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office, 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office, | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8. From Pier to East Point. |
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Vessel's Name.	Rig.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
Argentino	5 b	Barnaud	Brit. str.	915	April 30	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Saigon	
Benarity	4 c	Potter	Brit. str.	1119	April 23	Ah Yon		
Bertha	8 b	Windham	Brit. str.	1421	April 23	Meyer & Co.		
Braemar Castle	4 k	Ayles	Brit. str.	1424	April 24	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Feronia	5 b	Schultz	Ger. str.	1089	April 20	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Gaelic	3 b	Kidley	Brit. str.	1712	April 20	O. S. S. Co.		
Gunja	3 c	Garneau	Fch. str.	797	April 26	Hop Kee & Co.		
Haibong	5 b	Abbott	Brit. str.	277	April 27	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		
Hankow	5 c	Symington	Brit. str.	2332	April 19	Siemenssen & Co.		
Imbecos	4 c	Bennington	Brit. str.	1275	April 20	Order		
Juan	4 b	Stock	Brit. str.	1019	April 16	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Menzaleh	5 c	Pasqualini	Fch. str.	1000	April 24	Messageries Maritimes	Cooktown	Mails
Montgomeryshire	3 c	Sturrock	Brit. str.	1146	April 28	H. Kitz & Co.	Yokohama	
Nelson	5 b	Staples	Brit. str.	894	April 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Salon	
Norna	2 b	Walker	Brit. str.	606	April 17	Kwok Acheong		
Penedo	5 c	Cain	Brit. str.	652	April 27	Malchers & Co.	Swatow	
Rajanattianuhar	3 b	Hopkins	Brit. str.	933	April 30	Yuen Fat Hong	Saigon	
Sinda	4 b	.....	Brit. str.	37	Dec. 17	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bangkok	
Sea Gull	5 h	Paray	Brit. str.	35	April 24	Lane, Crawford & Co.	Manila	Cortan Dock
State of Louisiana	...	Checa	Span. str.	174	April 24	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Amoy	Cleared
Sunda	5 c	Johnston	Brit. str.	1216	April 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Yokohama	
Thingwalla	5 c	Reeves	Brit. str.	1205	April 18	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Salon	Ab'deen Dock
Yesso	5 h	Nilsen	Dan. str.	1577	April 14	Meyer & Co.	Coast Ports	Ab'deen Dock
Yottung	2 b	Punchard	Brit. str.	559	April 28	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	.....	2nd prox:
Zamboanga	4 c	.....	Brit. str.	324	June 9	Kwok Acheong	Bangkok	Repairing
Sailing Vessels								
A. T. Stalnkecht	3 c	Schütt	Ger. bge.	539	April 23	Siemenssen & Co.	New York	
Albert Russell	8 c	Carver	Amer. bge.	762	April 13	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Bangkok	
Arabella	8 c	Pearson	Brit. bge.	665	April 16	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Tientain	Cleared
Ban Lee	2 b	Schumacher	Span. bge.	260	April 19	Chinese		
Carl	3 k	Hansen	Ger. bge.	215	April 27	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Catherine Marden	4 c	Warden	Brit. 3m.sc.	287	April 19	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Charles Marreau	2 h	Quatre-sous	Fch. bge.	368	April 29	Landstein & Co.		
Cheng Soon	2 h	Cheng Sang	Span. sch.	200	April 30	Chinese		
Cooran	8 c	Millar	Amer. sch.	230	April 19	Insurance Company		
Elliot Rickmers	4 c	Weydemann	Ger. bge.	307	April 23	Malchers & Co.		
Eudoxia Adolphine	3 c	Valot	Fch. bg.	254	April 16	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Evening Star	8 c	Astburn	Brit. bge.	371	April 14	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Fabius	2 b	Holze	Span. sh.	635	April 28	Kin-tye-loong		
Falcon	2 h	Vie	Brit. bge.	385	April 23	Yuen Fat Hong		
Glengairn	8 c	Fimplaster	Brit. sh.	895	April 11	Landstein & Co.		
Bannah Lord	2 c	Greg	Brit. sh.	1299	April 28	P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Hydra	8 c	Dest	Ger. bge.	785	Mar. 27	Siemenssen & Co.		
Jan Peter	4 c	Ewert	Ger. bge.	336	April 26	Siemenssen & Co.		
Jylland	4 c	Lamb	Dan. bg.	287	April 19	Eduard Schellhass & Co.		
Lalla Rookh	2 h	Hender	Brit. bge.	814	April 20	Molcher & Co.		
Leucadia	8 c	Mearns	Brit. sh.	896	April 12	Meyer & Co.		
Loitzer	7 h	Vincent	Amer. sch.	45	Aug. 13	Insurance Cos.		
Mary Whitridge	8 c	Cutle	Amer. sh.	862	April 16	Russell & Co.		
Mount Lebanon	2 h	Hall	Brit. 3m.sc.	530	Mar. 26	Rozario & Co.		
New Era	8 c	Sawyer	Brit. sh.	1060	April 25	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Nyassa	8 c	Garrison	Brit. sh.	799	April 7	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Peiho	4 c	Christiansen	Ger. bge.	261	April 26	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Picotot	3 c	Grate	Ger. bge.	238	April 28	Siemenssen & Co.		
Rosetta McNeil	8 c	Hansen	Amer. bge.	611	Mar. 25	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Rosina	4 c	Burgeland	Krus. bge.	406	Feb. 28	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Rurik	4 c	Binge	Ger. bg.	210	April 29	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Sophie	4 c	Coboda	Span. bge.	251	Mar. 31	Siemenssen & Co.		
Teres	...	.....	Amer. sh.	1516	April 12	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Thomas Lord	8 c	Hall	Amer. sh.	474	April 29	Siemenssen & Co.		
Thoön Kramom	2 c	Vorrath	Span. bge.	261	April 20	Wieler & Co.		
Tulochgorum	...	Mason	Brit. 3m.sc.	175	April 20	Wieler & Co.		
Villa de Rivadavia	4 c	Carmus	Span. bg.	487	April 19	Brandao & Co.		
W. H. Deitz	8 c	Endicott	Amer. bge.	809	April 19	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Wealthy Pendleton	8 c	Hanchar	Amer. bge.	809	April 19	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
WHAMPOA								
Gustav Adolph		Neemann	Ger. bge.	300	April 21	Order		
CANTON								
Chinkiang		Orr	Brit. str.	789	April 27	Siemenssen & Co.	Shanghai	
Pau Tah		Pattersen	Chi. str.	870	April 29	C. M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	

Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Anker- ago.	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
Charybdis	6 c	British	corvette	1506	...	...	April 5	T. E. Smith
Fly	6 b	British	gun vessel	464	4	120	April 23	John Bruce
Marquez de la Victoria	K.D.	Spanish	transport	1200	...	...	Feb. 23	Borrafo
Meeanees	6 k	British	military hospital	2691	...	...
Modeste	6 c	British	corvette	1405	14	350	April 13	Alex. Buller, C.B.
Patino	K.D.	Spanish	transport	1200	...	...	Feb. 23	Raspello
Sylvia	7 b	British	surveying vessel	595	...	...	April 27	W. Bonham Bax
Tejo	Novelt	Works	gun vessel	444	2	100	Jan. 8	F. Amaral
Victor Emanuel	6 c	British	Commodore's flag-ship	3087	2	...	....	Commodore Watson
At Canton				1100	6	700	April 16	E. O. Matthews
Ashuelot		American	corvette					

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON RIVER STEAMERS.

CHINESE GUN-VEHICLES IN CANTON WATERS, &c.

Name.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.	Name.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Commander.

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G. B. EMORY, Agent.

Hongkong, April 3, 1871. my1



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Hongkong, April 24, 1871. my5

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RUSSELL Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 16, 1871. my18

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CHUN AYIN,

Manager.

HONGKONG, February 10, 1871.

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